

CHASE HARDWARE COMPANY
sell Emerson and Sanders Dies which are now meeting the approval of good farmers.

Every pair of Noyes & Norman shoes guaranteed at H. T. Woodward & Son's.

A. V. McRoberts left on Saturday for a visit in Kansas City and other points in Missouri.

Miss Minnie Gant went to Anthony Monday to attend the district Epworth League convention.

Mrs. C. E. Briggs went to Greensburg on Saturday to enjoy a short visit before the fall school term begins.

J. E. Martin, wife and aunt departed last Friday for a visit at their old home at Grand Island, Nebraska.

Miss Jessie Rankin departed on Monday for Canon City, Colorado for a month's well earned vacation. Her sister, Miss Maud Rankin, is filling her place at Central.

Engineer Merrill was relieved by Frank Dice the latter part of the week, to give him an opportunity to visit the Santa Fe Air-Brake instruction car at Wichita. He returned Monday night.

Master Geo. Horney entertained a number of his young friends in honor of his fifth birthday on the court house lawn last Wednesday, August 10th. The little folks had a nice time and George has added a considerable quantity of stock to his toy and playhouse departments.

Jas. H. McCreedy and wife of Washington county, Iowa, cousins of Mrs. Jas. McGuire residing east and south of town, visited in the city and county the fore part of last week. They were delighted with our part of the country and were greatly surprised at our enormous crops. They departed last Thursday.

The Sunflower Cooking Club composed of a number of young ladies who are going to improve upon the art, is a new organization in Medicine Lodge, which is creating great interest. The Club met with Miss Alma Shell last Thursday and the meeting is said to have been a very interesting one where the topics discussed were not confined exclusively to culinary problems.

HE SAW CARRIE.

E. Newell Owens, foreman of the R. L. Bone Paper Box company, has returned from a visit to Kentucky. The big attraction in Kentucky at this time is Carrie Nation, the Medicine Lodge joint smasher. While Mr. Newell was eating a lunch in a depot cafe in Cincinnati his attention was attracted by a woman who entered the cafe and began talking in a loud manner. Turning he saw the woman was Carrie Nation.

Mrs. Nation then was on her way to Kentucky. She entered the cafe and saw a number of suspicious looking bottles. She began the recital of one of her lectures that made her famous when she launched her temperance crusades in Kansas years ago. While she paced the floor talking a policeman kept within touch of her.

"Mrs. Nation has not changed in appearance since she was in Wichita," said Mr. Owens. "I recognized her the minute I saw her. She was dressed in silk. Her appearance indicates that she is making a success of her lectures, financially. She is lecturing in Kentucky this week. That is her native state."—Wichita Beacon.

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And a full
Line of Shoes
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a neat, clean
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ELBERT S. RULE

GREAT BARGAIN SALE!

Two Days for Real Bargains in Merchandise at my Store in Sharon, Aug. 19-20

For Cash or Produce on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 19th and 20th, we will give you bargains in Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Notions and Groceries, that you will not forget in this year 1904, the year of GOOD CROPS and GOOD PRICES.

Dry Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons and Notions, Many Kinds and Prices—Here's where We Shine:

Regular Price.	This Sale	Regular Price.	This Sale	Regular Price.	This Sale			
All Best Brands Calico.....	40c yd	37½c yd	All-over Lace.....	50c yd	37½c yd	Japanese Trimming Silk, all colors.....	50c yd	37½c yd
Other Brands.....	3½c yd	3½c yd	All Embroideries, Insertions, Laces and Ribbons at Same Reduction.....	50c each	35c each	Percales.....	15c yd	10½c yd
Unbleached Muslin.....	8½c yd	6c yd	Ladies Feather and Batskin Fans.....	50c each	35c each	Percales.....	10c yd	7½c yd
Unbleached Muslin.....	7½c yd	5c yd	Ladies Feather and Batskin Fans.....	50c each	35c each	Percales.....	7½c yd	5c yd
Bleached Muslin.....	6½c yd	4½c yd	Ladies Feather and Batskin Fans.....	25c each	17c each	Table Linen, bleached.....	75c yd	55c yd
Bleached Muslin.....	12½c yd	9c yd	Ladies' Handkerchiefs.....	35c each	25c each	Table Linen, bleached, Red and Blue.....	50c yd	37½c yd
Bleached Muslin.....	10c yd	7½c yd	Ladies' Handkerchiefs.....	25c each	17c each	Table Linen, bleached, Red and Blue.....	35c yd	27½c yd
Bleached Muslin.....	8½c yd	6c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	50c yd	37½c yd	All Underwear at Like Reductions.....	25c yd	17c yd
Bleached Muslin.....	6½c yd	5c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	35c yd	25c yd			
India Linens.....	35c yd	27c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	25c yd	17c yd			
India Linens.....	25c yd	18c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	15c yd	10c yd			
India Linens.....	20c yd	13c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	10c yd	10c yd			
India Linens.....	15c yd	9c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	5c yd	5c yd			
India Linens.....	10c yd	6½c yd	Early Fall and Summer Dress and Waist Patterns, 3½ yds and 10 yds lengths.....	3½c yd	3½c yd			
Persian Lawn and Silk Mull at Same Discount.....	50c yd	37½c yd	All Summer Dress Goods at Same Discount.....					
Velveteen, all colors.....	5c yd	3½c yd	Madras Dress Gingham.....	12½c yd	9c yd			
Scotch Lawns.....	5c yd	3½c yd	Amoskeag Gingham.....	7½c yd	5c yd			
All-over Lace.....	75c yd	55c yd						

GROCERIES.

Will not quote prices on Groceries here but will ask you to come to the store on August 19th and 20th and you will see a blackboard with a list of every staple article in groceries we sell that will pay you for your trip to town.

Have just received a car of their famous "Polar Bear" flour made from old wheat. This will be your last shot at OLD WHEAT flour this year. It's finer than SILK.

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing.

I have always led the procession for good clothing at low prices, marking each suit in plain figures and reducing the profit to the lowest point, and will at this sale put you on the ground floor in price for a summer or fall suit.

A Few Prices to Show You the Way the Wind is Blowing:

Regular Price.	This Sale
Men's Suits.....	\$13.50 at \$10.50
Men's Suits.....	12.00 at 9.00
Men's Suits.....	10.00 at 7.50
Men's Suits.....	7.50 at 5.50
Men's Suits.....	5.00 at 3.75
Youth's Suits, age 13 to 20 years.....	8.00 at 5.75
Youth's Suits, age 14 to 20 years.....	5.00 at 3.50
Boys' Suits, age 3 to 12 years.....	4.50 at 3.00
Boys' Suits, age 3 to 12 years.....	3.50 at 2.25
Boys' Suits, age 3 to 12 years.....	2.50 at 1.75
Boys' Suits, age 3 to 12 years.....	1.50 at 1.00
Boys' Suits, age 3 to 12 years.....	1.00 at .50

Gent's Furnishing Goods and Hats.

I bought early before a 25 per cent. advance in many articles in dry goods and work shirts and overalls and will name you a price that is far below cost of these goods today:

Regular.	This Sale
Men's and Boys' Straight and Bib Overalls and Jackets.....	50c at 38c
Men's and Boys' Straight and Bib Overalls and Jackets.....	75c at 55c
Men's and Boys' Straight and Bib Overalls and Jackets.....	\$1.00 at 75c
Men's and Boys' Work Shirts.....	50c at 38c
Men's and Boys' Laundry Shirts.....	75c at 55c
Men's and Boys' Laundry Shirts.....	50c at 38c
Men's Hats.....	\$1.75 at \$1.10
Men's Hats.....	1.50 at 1.10
Men's Hats.....	1.25 at .80

Shoes—Giessecke and Clover Brand Shoes.

Regular Price.	This Sale.	Regular Price.	This Sale.
Ladies'.....	\$3.50	Men's.....	\$3.50
Ladies'.....	3.00	Men's.....	3.00
Ladies'.....	2.50	Men's.....	2.50
Ladies'.....	2.00	Men's.....	2.00
Ladies'.....	1.35	Boys'.....	1.50
Misses'.....	1.65	Boys'.....	2.00
Misses'.....	1.46	Boys'.....	1.75

Ready-Mixed Paint, Oil, Lead.

A new stock of the celebrated Heath & Milligan Ready-Mixed Paint just in.
Collier's white lead, 7 1/2c per pound.
Strictly pure kettle-boiled Linseed Oil, 50c gal. on August 19th and 20th only.
With the best crop of corn and wheat, and the highest price for it, and the lowest price you have seen on oil and lead in 10 years, shouldn't you paint right now?

This is no hard-luck story. I am not going to quit business; true, I need money to pay my bills and need room for new fall goods, and am willing to sell goods at a sacrifice in price to get it. But my first purpose is to give you a treat to bargain to show you I have appreciated your trade in the past and want to merit it in the future. In the last eight years I have worked to build up SHARON as a trading point, and my ambition with each year has been to better my store. Time and experience has taught me your needs and wants, and I believe by selling all lines of goods I have reduced my expense to a minimum, and am prepared to supply your wants at the lowest possible price. For any success I may have had I feel in debt to the people of Sharon and tributary trade, and to show you I believe in reciprocity, come to Sharon Aug. 19 and 20, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, and you will find what you have seen advertised.
Respectfully,

ELBERT S. RULE.

FOR ROAD OVERSEER.

Uncle Joe Wiley will be a candidate for renomination for the office of road overseer of the first district of Medicine Lodge township when the republican convention meets. While a republican, Uncle Joe is not so hidebound that he will not announce his candidacy through a Democratic paper and as a citizen he is the equal of anybody. His work as road overseer has been highly complimented by many who have occasion to use the roads most.

C. H. Kerlin of Cambridge City, Indiana, was here last week looking after his Barber county farms. He has one quarter near Isabel in Valley township and another in Nippawalla township. Both are making him good money and he regards them as good investments. Mr. Kerlin is employed with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Dr. Hammond's Dental Office is over Citizens State Bank.

Presbyterian Church.

Rarely is it the privilege of a congregation to listen to two more able sermons than was preached by Rev. J. W. Berger at the Presbyterian church Sabbath August 14. Eight years ago Rev. Berger supplied the pulpit of this church. At that time he was a student who had just entered the ministry, but in this, his first charge he gave promise of his true worth, and indeed it is a pleasure to know that the promise then given has been more than fulfilled, by the success he has made in his work for the Master.

Special music had been prepared for the services, which was indeed a treat to all who listened to it. When it was known that Rev. Berger was coming, a reception was planned in his honor for Monday evening, but owing to business plans he was compelled to leave Monday morning. But the congregation met and spent a delightful evening. After the social meeting was over, a business meeting was held and although the church has been without a pastor for a number of months it was encouraging to hear the reports of the Sunday School and the various societies of the church which are in a very flourishing condition, and plans are being made to secure a regular pastor in the near future.

BARGAINS

Furniture

New Goods
New Store
New Prices

The public is invited to inspect my entirely new stock of Furniture, Carpets and Rugs. We will show you as nice a line of goods as can be found anywhere. Bring your catalogue and we will convince you that you can do as well at home.

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WANTED AT ONCE.

Men and Teams For Summer and Fall.

I desire to employ ten men at once to put up 400 acres of alfalfa hay. I also desire to employ three men with families to work by the year, house furnished for residence. 250 acres of wheat land to rent to responsible parties, seed furnished if desired. Men and teams wanted to plow 250 acres for fall wheat. Apply to A. J. Hargis, Lake City, Kansas, at once.



A FULL MEASURE

is what we all want. When you are trading where you are sure of full weights, full measure and right prices it is pretty certain you won't go elsewhere.

That's why our trade stays by us. They get full weights, full measure and the best of everything in the Grocery line.

Our Flour is A-1. Canned goods fresh. Our cheese can't be beat. There's no sugar sweeter than ours in the land.

H. T. WOODWARD & SON

Undertaking Supplies.



We have added a Complete Stock of Undertaker's Supplies to my Stock of Merchandise and are prepared to answer calls at all times. CASKETS AND BURIAL SUPPLIES IN STOCK. Special attention given to Embalming. All work guaranteed.

T. H. Trice, & Son, Sharon, Ks.

A Cyclone in Town.

Ready to tear HIGH PRICES to pieces. We have again opened for business in our new store on North Main street and carry a full line of General Merchandise which we are prepared to sell at very small profits. Here are a few prices:

GROCERIES:	DRY GOODS and SHOES:
Sugar, 17 pounds.....	Pair of Ladies' Shoes.....
Tomatoes, per can.....	A CRACKERJACK SHOE from.....
California Peas, per can.....	
do Peaches, per can.....	
do Apples, per can.....	
Lenox Soap T bars.....	
White Russian, 6 bars.....	
One Egg Case free with each \$10 purchase.	

Look for the big "CYCLONE" Sign. Come in and see us. We will treat you right. Farmers trade solicited. Produce taken in exchange for goods.

LASSWELL & DRURY.

A Slaughter Of Prices!

I am selling everything in Furniture and Chinaware, Glassware and Queensware at lower prices than ever before. No competitor can beat my prices. Call and be convinced of the truth of these assertions.

L. T. Williams.

Opera House Block. Medicine Lodge, Kans.

Notice—Leather Goods.

We want to tell all who are interested in Leather Goods that we can save you money on anything in Harness goods that you want. We use oak tanned leather and our work is first class. **R. M. WOODWARD & SON**

We, the undersigned, hereby agree to pay a reward of \$250, in aid of prosecutions commenced within the next twelve months, to any one furnishing the evidence that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any party in Medicine Lodge, violating the prohibitory law of Kansas or any amendments thereto, or any of the ordinances of the city of Medicine Lodge, relating to the prohibition of selling whisky or beer, after this date—March 16, 1904.

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